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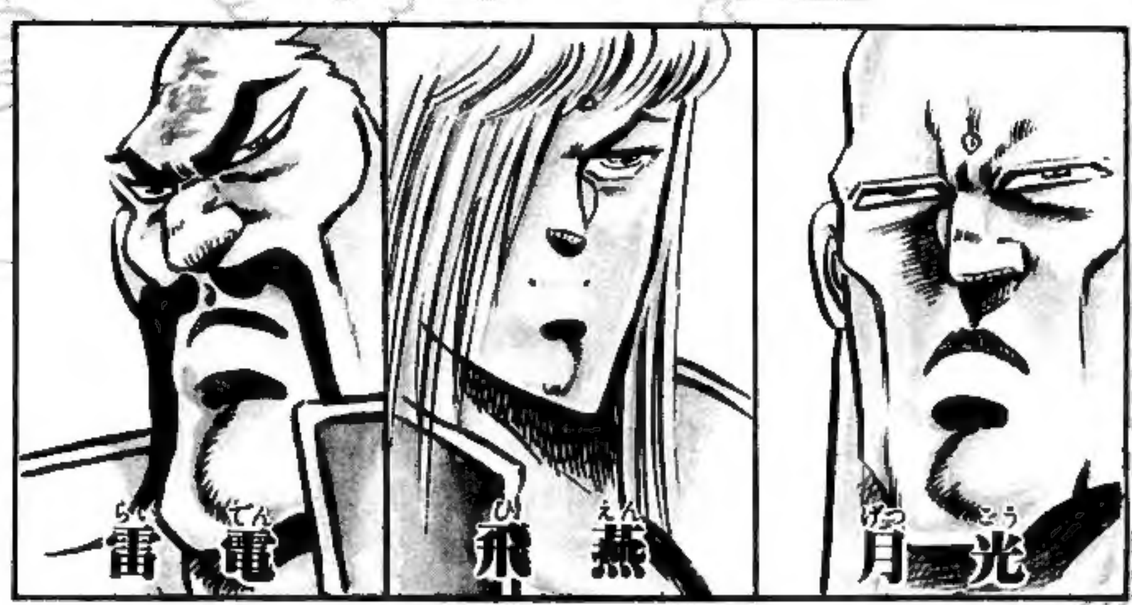

前巻までのあらすじ

男塾――全寮制、生徒数は、日本全国から三学年でおよそ三百名、それも傷害事件などを起こした連中ばかり…。塾長・江田島平八は、この荒らくれ者たちに男塾独自のスパルタ教育をしていた。一号生筆頭・剣桃太郎は、二号生筆頭・赤石剛次を、真剣勝負の末に破り、また、アメリカからの留学生との撲針愚の試合も、富樫とともに奮戦。男塾魂を見せつけた。

秋、男塾名物『愕怨祭』に、関東豪学連がのりこんでくる。男塾は豪学連と『驚嘆大四凶殺』を闘いぬき、これに勝利した。

一か月後、桃ら一号生に三号生から出頭命令が下る。そして、男塾伝統の命を賭けた格闘技試合『大威振八連制覇』が始まった！　第一戦、第二戦とも大きな犠牲をはらいながらも、勝利を得る。第三戦は、伊達・虎丸組が三号生に挑む!!

魁!男塾

第九巻

もくじ

不屈の男魂の巻……七
猛虎の一念の巻……二七
闇に勝れし者の巻……四七
最終闘への試練の巻……六九
核を撃て!の巻……九〇
伝説の男・影慶の巻……一〇九
勝機一閃の巻……一二九
不可視の翼の巻……一四八
勝利への血文字の巻……一六八

剛!男塾
不屈の男魂の巻
CHP. 77: THE PERSISTENT MANLY SOUL

DA...
DATE--!!

THE ROPES ARE WIRES THAT CAN WITHSTAND A TON OF WEIGHT. FURTHER, THOSE STEEL CUFFS ARE MADE OF WHITE-GOLD STEEL, SAID TO BE HARDER THAN DIAMOND.
STRUGGLE ALL YOU WANT, BUT YOU CAN'T ESCAPE FROM THESE JOU-BAKUKAN.

A MAN LIKE YOU WON'T GET KILLED THIS EASILY.....WITH OUR EXTRA TIME, I'LL TEST THE EXTENT THAT YOU TRULY ARE.

FU..... WON'T YOU MOVE EVEN WITH WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS TIME?

SHUT UP, DO ANY OF YOU KNOW HOW I FEEL---!!

TO...TORA MARU, WH...WHAT IS THAT GUY SAYING -----!!
TORA-MARU, DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE SAYING ---!!

SINCE THAT IDIOT GOT HIMSELF INTO A GOOD POSITION, THIS SORT OF THING HAS HAPPENED---!!
UWAHAHA, DON'T YOU LIKE THAT, DATE---!!
I WON'T WORRY ON WHAT HAPPENS NEXT; I'M CONFIDENT HE'S GOING TO GET HURT-----!!

GOSHOU ZUIKEN: GEKISHIN KEIHA!!
HA ----!!
!!

SINCE I'VE CRUSHED THE CENTRAL NODES OF YOUR NERVOUS SYSTEM IN YOUR ARMS.

FU, YOU DON'T SPEAK OUT EVEN WITH THAT MUCH VIOLENT PAIN, BUT THIS ISN'T USELESS,

WHA... WHAT IS THAT RASETSU DOING TO DATE!

THE BLEEDING IS SEVERE, BUT HIS PAIN IS ABNORMAL!!

GUKU!!

I WON'T DIE EASILY

SHUT UP...

YOU'LL DIE FROM WRITHING AROUND IN THIS PAIN.

IF YOU WERE A PERSON WITH AN AVERAGE PHYSICALITY AND VITALITY, YOU WOULD HAVE DIED OF SHOCK WITH THAT MUCH PAIN

ARE YOU STILL HITTING ME WITH YOUR BIG MOUTH!?
NEXT WILL BE THE CENTRAL MOVE OF YOUR HEXES IN YOUR ARCHIVE!

GUNU!!
DA...DATE ---!!
HOW ABOUT IT: FRANKLY ADMIT YOUR DEFEAT AND I'LL SEND YOU TO THAT WORLD IN-STANTLY.
TAKE PAIN, HOLD PAIN.

MY NAME IS DATE OMITO. YOU WILL NOT DEFEAT ME...!!

DO YOU KNOW WHO YOU'RE TALKING TO...

YOU SEEM TO NOT BEND TO ANY SORT OF AGONY .....

FU...YOU STILL HAVE STRENGTH... YOU'RE AMAZING. SURELY YOU'RE A MAN LIKE AN ASHURA.

THEREFORE I CAN ONLY SEND YOU TO HELL AT ONCE!!
HE'LL...KILL HIM: THIS IS OVER---!!
!!
HOLD ON ---!!

WH... WHAT IS THAT? THAT TORUMARU SUDDENLY ----!!
WHAT IS HE DOING!! HE'S IN A LOINCLOTH IN A "NIOU STANCE"----!!

I'M NOT CALLOUS THAT I'LL WATCH A PARTNER GET KILLED WITHOUT LIFTING A FINGER.

HOWEVER, I'M ONE OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 8 SELECTED FOR THE DAIISHIN PAAREN SEIHA OF THE OTOKO-JUKU FIRST-YEARS.

I WAS SOURED IN NOT GOING OUT THERE; THAT EMBARRASSED ME.

HEH, DATE.....A MAN LIKE YOU REALLY IS A GREAT MAN.

I'M GOING NOW, DATE---!!

WH...WHAT IS THAT TORA-MARU, HE CAN'T BE!?

TO...TO RAMARU ---!!

ST...STOP, DO...DON'T ACT SO STUPIDLY----!!

IT'S HOT---!!
HOO ---!!

NUOO

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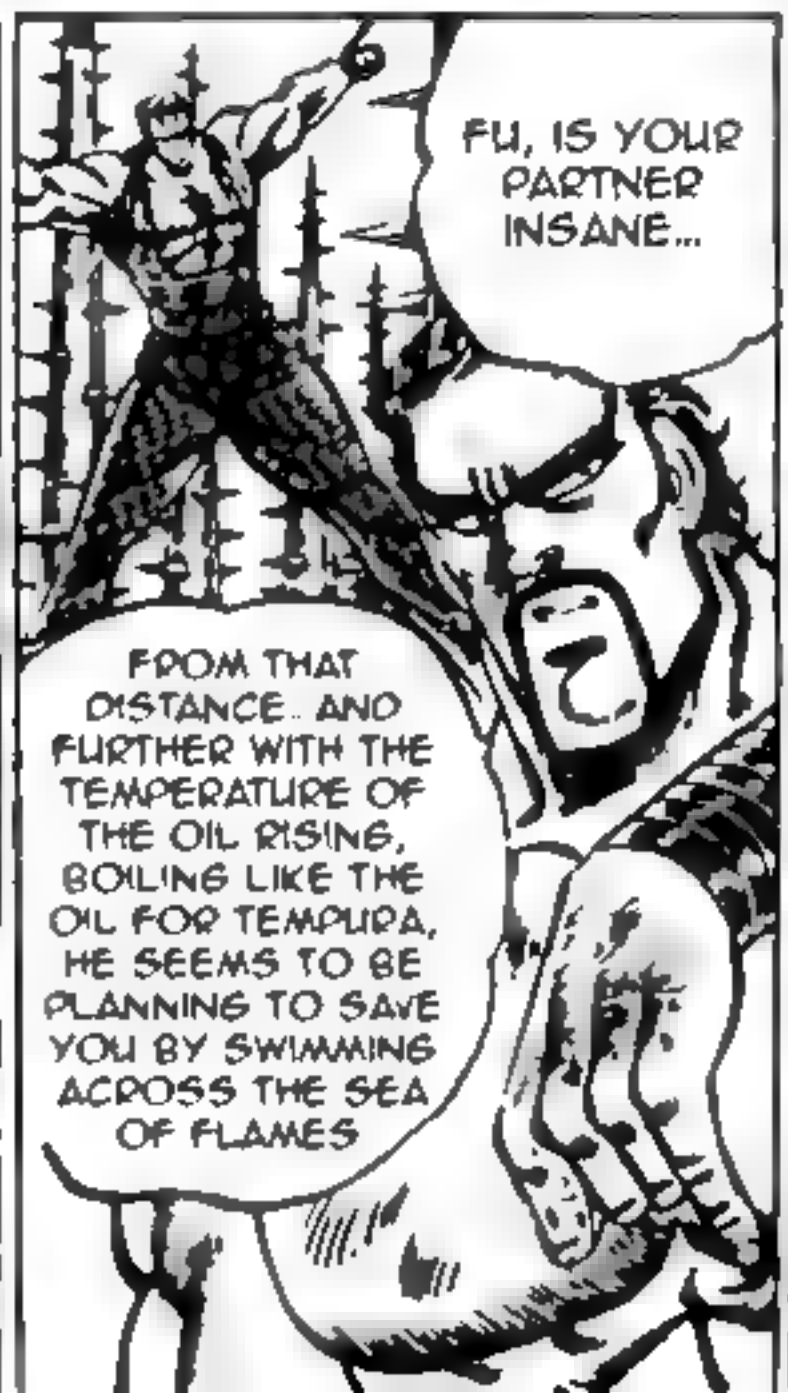

FU, IS YOUR PARTNER INSANE...
FROM THAT DISTANCE.. AND FURTHER WITH THE TEMPERATURE OF THE OIL RISING, BOILING LIKE THE OIL FOR TEMPURA, HE SEEMS TO BE PLANNING TO SAVE YOU BY SWIMMING ACROSS THE SEA OF FLAMES

UO!!
I...IT'S HOPELESS. HE...HE'S SINKING---!!
AAH, TORAMARU ---!!
KUUA ---!!
TO...TORA MARU---!!

.....
BUT THEN, THAT ELIMINATES THE LABOR OF DEALING WITH HIM.
FU, YOU SEEM TO HAVE A STUPID PARTNER TOO.

MY NEXT BLOW WILL END THIS FIGHT.

THAT TORA-MARU IS AN AMAZING MAN, GREATER THAN YOU THINK.

FUFUFU, IS THAT HOW IT IS...

HERE COMES TORAJIMARU RYUUJI!!

HE...HE SWAM THROUGH THE SEA OF HELLFIRE .....
TO... TORA-MARU .....!!
猛虎の一念の巻
CHP. 78: THE FIERCE TIGER'S DETERMINED PURPOSE

LET'S GO, RASETSU! NOW I'M YOUR OPPONENT.
猛虎の一念の巻

ARE THOSE WORDS OF WHO I'VE COME TO SAVE?
YOU'RE REALLY A GUY WITH A COCKY MOUTH.
THIS ISN'T AN OPPONENT YOU CAN WIN AGAINST.
STOP IT, TORA-MARU...
THAT'S...IMPOS SIBLE: HIS BREATHING HAS BECOME WILD. HE'S GOING TO DIE BEFORE OUR EYES-----!!
TH...THAT TORAMARU, DOES HE PLAN TO FIGHT WITH AN INJURED BODY THAT'S BURNED LIKE CHARCOAL ---!!

I'LL SHOW YOU THE SOUL OF MOUKO-RYUU KENPOU!!
!!
HE... DISAP-PEARED .....!!

OF COURSE YOU HAVEN'T ---! IT'S BECAUSE I MADE IT UP----!!

HOW FUNNY.

I HAVEN'T HEARD OF THAT STYLE.

MOUKO-RYUU...

HUK!!

UH!!

HA!!
GE!!
IT'S USE-LESS: IS THIS HOW YOU PLAN TO DEFEND YOUR SELF?

GUHA!!

FU, IT IS SAID THAT A LION USES ALL OF ITS POWER TO DEFEAT EVEN A RABBIT.

TASTE THIS. THE ESSENCE OF KYOUKE TOUSHI KIHA!!

WH...WHAT-SO I'M A RABBIT---!!

WHAT—!! ARE YOU GOING TO USE THAT ON ME—!!
TOUSHI KANSETSUSAI!!
GU!!

UGUGU .....!!
WH...WHAT: TORUMARU'S ARM IS BEND-ING IN A STRANGE CON-DITION----!!

TH...THIS IS.....!?

Y...YOU ---!!

I'VE DE-STROYED THE PIVOT OF YOUR ELBOW JOINTS IN YOUR ARMS INDIRECTLY, UNFASTENING IT.
FU, AL-READY YOUR RIGHT ARM CAN'T EVEN HOLD CHOP-STICKS.

!!
I'LL BE TAKING YOUR OTHER ARM.
EVEN WITH YOUR ENDEAVOR OF SWIM-MING THROUGH THE SEA OF FIRE, YOUR FRUITLESS EFFORT IS OVER!!
S...S**T ---!!
!!O!!

TO... TORAMARU ---!!

N...NO, HE'S FALL-ING---!!

HEH, DON'T MOCK ME...YOU CAN'T KILL TORAMARU-SAMA THAT EASILY.

TO... TORA-MARU .....!!

IT WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER IF HE WAS WATCHING THIS OBEDIENTLY

THAT IDIOT'S DONE TOO MUCH;

BUT LIKE THAT, MY NEXT BLOW WILL SPLIT HIM.

FU, YOUR PARTNER IS A GREAT PERSON FOR JUST HIS TENACITY.

THEREFORE, YOU DON'T WANT ME TO FIGHT.

HE TRULY ISN'T AN OPPONENT THAT I CAN MATCH..... YOU'RE SEEING ME LOSE.

YOU SEE ME AS A NICE GUY?

.....DON'T TALK FOOL-ISHLY.

YOU MAY TALK BAD, BUT YOU'RE TRULY A NICE GUY.

THAT'S THE TYPE YOU ARE.

IF YOU CAN TRULY CUT THE ROPES ENTWINED AROUND THE PILLARS THEN DATE'S BODY WILL BE FREED.

I UNDER-STAND: YOU WEREN'T MERELY RUN-NING AROUND, YOU WERE AIMING FOR THOSE PIL-LARS.

HOWEVER, HOW CAN YOU DO THAT WHEN YOU CAN'T USE YOUR ARMS...THOSE STEEL WIRES CAN NEVER BE CUT.

NUUU!!

SHUT UP. OPEN YOUR EYES AND LO-OK CLOSELY.

ORYAA
---!!
ST...STOP, TORA-MARU---!! YOU'LL SPLIT YOUR HEAD BEFORE THE PILLAR---!!
HE...HE'S PLANNING TO UNFASTEN THE ROPES BY BREAKING THE STONE PILLARS WITH A HEAD-BUTT---!!

OOH!!
HE'S HEAD-BUTTING A STONE PILLAR .....
FU...WHAT AN IDIOT.

LO...LOOK, THE PILLAR IS CRACKING ---!!
OOOH, ONE MORE TIME ----!!
WATCH OUT, TORAMARU ---!!
CHI, YOU WON'T DO IT!!

TORA-MARU ----!!
GUKU .....!!
GUA!!
DO...DON'T MOCK... DON'T MOCK TORAMA-RU-SAMA .....!!

DA...DATE, I ASK YOU TO TAKE THE REST!!

H...NO, THAT TORA-MARU BROKE THE STOLE PILLAR, BUT GAVE HIMSELF A CON-CUSSION AND HAS LOST CONSCIOUS-NESS----!!
AT THIS RATE, HE'LL FALL HEADLONG INTO THE SEA OF FIRE! TORA-MARU---!!
CHP. 79: THE ONE WHO SURPASSES DARKNESS
闇に勝れし者の巻

DIL...!!

DA...
DATE
----!!
闇に勝れし者の巻

NOW I'LL TAKE YOUR FOE.

ENDURE THIS FOR A LITTLE WHILE.

I'M OBLIGED TO YOU, TORA-MARU.

YOU'VE NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH THANKS TO YOUR PART-NER.....

FU, GOOD...

LET ME SHOW YOU.

YOU DON'T SEEM TO GET IT YET.....

EN KAI BAKU EN SHIKI MU

TOU YOU KAI ZAN HA KAN

METSU HEI KEN SHIN AN

YOU'VE GONE TOO FAR.....YOU WILL DIE, RASETSU!!

I SEE, YOU STILL HAVE THAT.

THAT'S THE MAIN POINT OF HAKYO-KU-RYUU KICHOU-TOU.....

HA --!!

DATE WAS WORKING ON TORAMARU'S MANLINESS.

YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND .....

HUH!?

BUT IF HE COULD DO THAT, THEN WHY DIDN'T HE ESCAPE WITH HIS KICHOU-TOU MUCH SOONER----!?

TH?THAT DATE IS AMAZING. HE'S DESTROYED THOSE STEEL-CUFFS MADE OF WHITE-GOLD STEEL!!

YEAH, IF HE DID, THEN EVEN TORA-MARU MAY NOT HAVE ENDED UP THAT HURT EITHER!!

SO HE COULDN'T STOP HIM.

EVEN IF HE WOULD CROSS OVER A SEA OF FIRE WITHOUT LOOKING BACK AND BECOME BURNED UP, HE SAW TORAMARU AS SAVING HIM.....

FU..... WHAT A TER-RIBLE BLOODTHIRST I REALLY UN-DERSTAND THE EXTENT OF YOUR ANGER

.....DATE HAS A HEART THAT EQUALS A DEVIL. THIS IS SO HE COULD MAKE THE MOST OF TORAMARU'S FEELINGS!!

.....

BUT UP HERE, MY GOSHOU ZUIKEN'S KAK-KUSAITSU HAS NO MATCH!!
MU!!

HERE WE GO: GOSHOU ZUIKEN: KOKU-ONSATSU!!
"KOKUONSATSU" = "BLACK DARKNESS MURDER"

A SMOKE-SCREEN, THAT RA-SETSU BUILDING A SMOKE-SCREEN--!!

WH...WHAT: THE STONE-PILLAR GROVE WHERE DATE WAS FIGHT-ING IS BEING COVERED IN BLACK CLOUDS; WE CAN'T SEE ANYTHING--!!

KOKUONSATSU AN ASSASSI-NATION FIST, WHOSE PURPOSE S, TO KILL AND WOUND WITHIN A DARK NIGHT, OR DARKNESS, WHERE YOU CAN'T YOU YOUR EYES AT ALL. THE METHOD OF TRAINING IS TO START BY SENSING INDICATIONS BY WEARING AN EYE-MASK, ENTER INTO ZEN AND HAVE OTHERS DROP NEEDLES, TO THE GROUND STARTING FROM CLOSE, TO THE EARS, GRADU-ALLY INCREASE THE DISTANCE, IF YOU CAN'T SENSE THE INDI-CATION OF THE NEEDLE FROM AT LEAST A TEN METER DIS-TANCE, THEN YOU CAN'T MASTER THIS FIST

IN OTHER WORDS, IT'S NATURALLY IM-PORTANT THAT THE FIVE SENSES, IN-CLUDING HEAR-ING, ARE CULTI-VATED INTO KEENED SUPER SENSES THAT CAN READ SUBTLE AIR MOVEMENTS IN AN AREA.
—FROM "STRANGE AND MYSTERIOUS FISTS OF THE WORLD", MINMEI PUBLISHING

KOKUON-SATSU ....!?

HE'S USING A SMOKE-SCREEN FOR KOKU-ONSATSU .....!!

AS EX-PECTED OF RASETSU OF THE SHITEN-NOU...

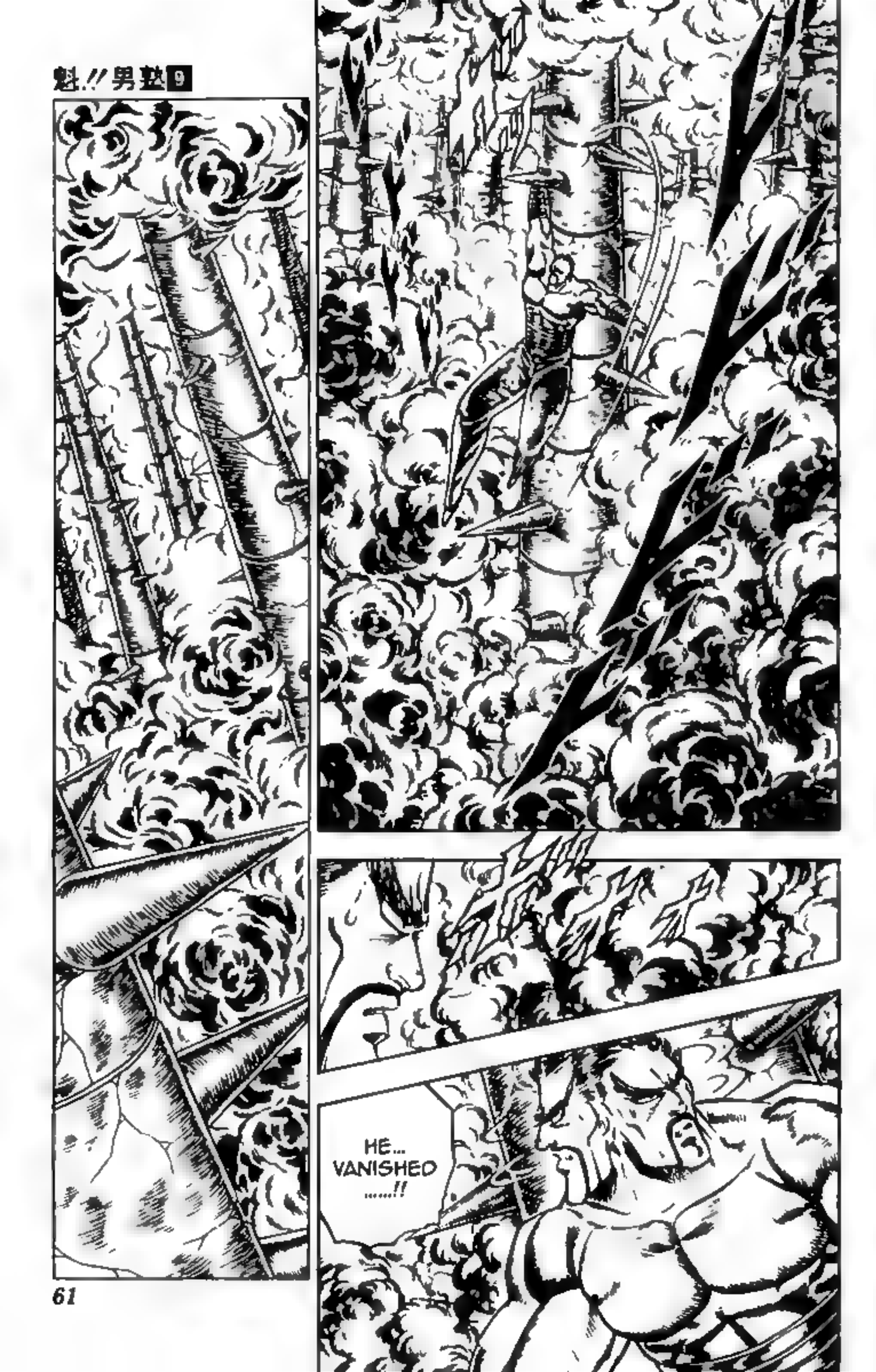
HOWEVER, I KNOW EVERY ONE OF YOUR MOVES.

FU, YOU CAN'T SEE ME.....

I LET YOU KNOW, I WON'T DO THAT WHEN I ATTACK.

FU, I WANT TO SAY YOU'RE MAGNIFICENT, BUT MY BLOW JUST NOW WAS MERELY A THREAT.

I'VE GOT YOU ----!!
UH!!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IF YOU CAN SENSE A PIN DROPPING TEN METERS AWAY, THEN I CAN GRASP A PIN MOVING FROM TWENTY METERS AWAY.

FUFU: RA-SETSU, THIS TIME IT'S YOUR TURN TO SHAKE IN TERROR OF THE DARK.

WH...WHAT'S GOING ON..... I REALLY DIDN'T FEEL ANY INDICA-TION OF HIM.

AND HE SAW THROUGH MY DEADLY BLOW THAT I HAD PER-FECTLY INDI-CATED NOW...

EVEN SO, HE SAID HE'S MASTERED A SKILL IN IT GREATER THAN ME.....!!

WH...WHAT, HE...CAN'T KNOW KOKU-ONKEN TOO.....

THIS...IS DIRTY, COME OUT AND FIGHT---!!

WH... WHERE? WHERE IS HE---!!

S**T ---!!
THE ONE WHO HAS FALLEN FOR THIS TRICK IS YOU, RA-SETSU... ..
DIRTY...!? WHERE ARE YOU YELLING THAT SPEECH TO?

N...NO, HE REALLY WAS MORE SKILLED AT IT.

I'LL BE DE-FEATED AT THIS RATE.

GU!!

LISTEN UP, DATE---!!

IT SEEMS LIKE THE GODDESS OF VICTORY IS STILL SUPPORT-ING ME.

!!

DO IT...I'M FINE WITH YOU DOING WHAT YOU LIKE.

FUFU...YOU REALLY ARE A MAN WHO'LL GO THAT FAR .....

IF YOU DON'T SHOW YOURSELF, YOUR PARTNER WILL FALL HEAD-LONG INTO THE SEA OF FLAMES ----!!

WATCH THIS---!! WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF I RELEASE THIS ROPE WHERE YOUR PARTNER IS HANG-ING ON!!

WH... WHAT ---!?

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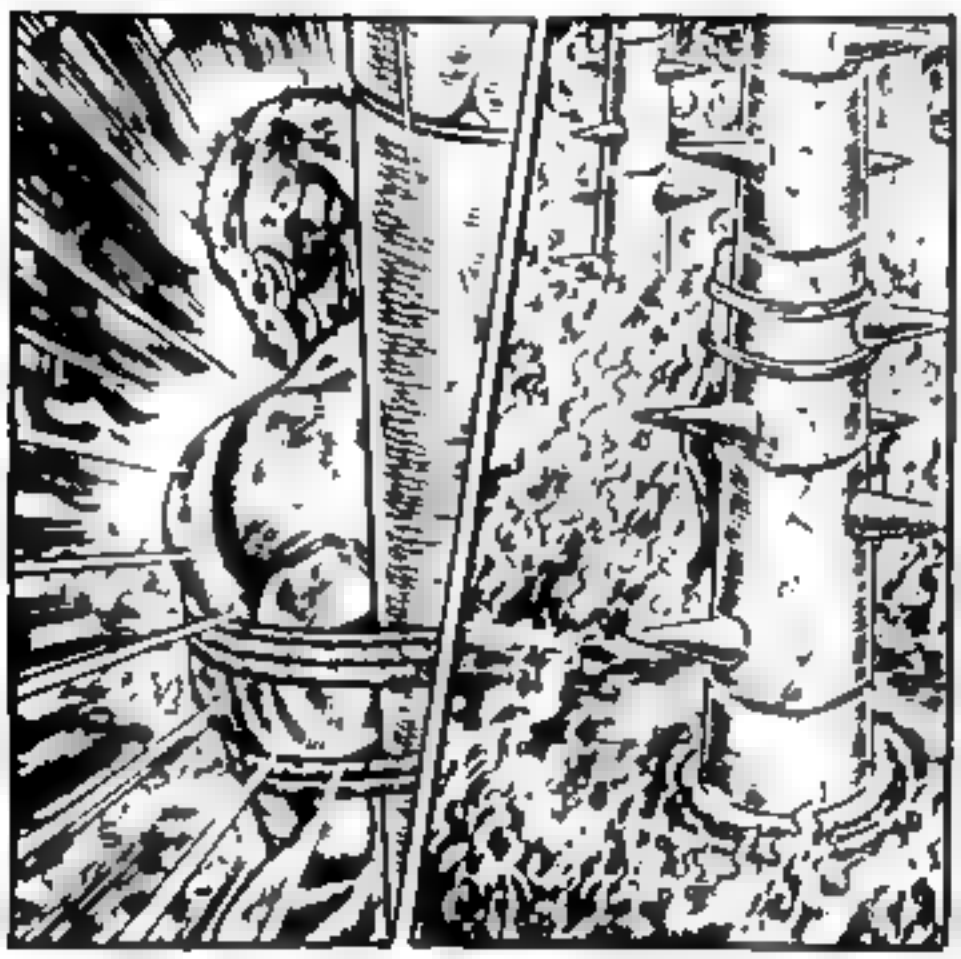


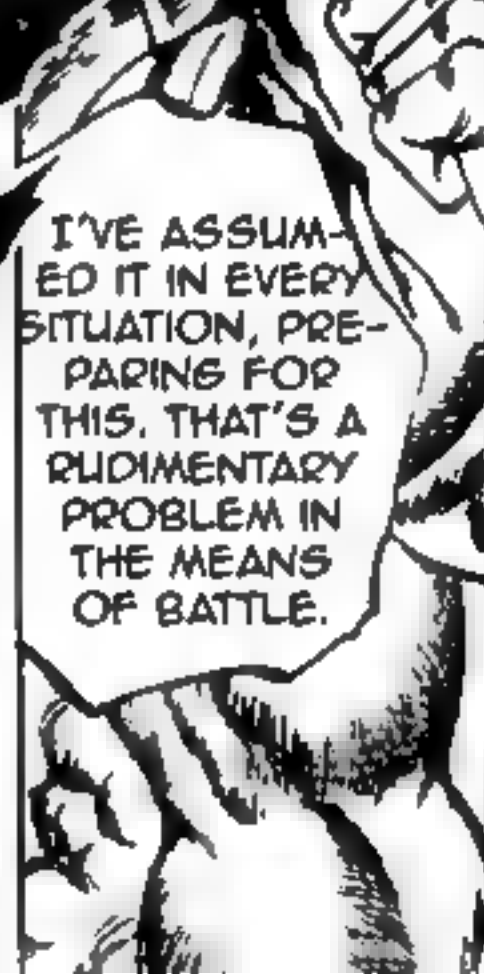
Y...YOU, WH...WHEN DID YOU .....!!

KU, YOU DON'T GET IT YET: WHO THE GODDESS OF VICTORY IS SMILING UPON.....!!

THERE'S A DIFFERENCE IN CHARAC-TER BE-TWEEN ME AND YOU.

I KNOW WELL HOW A MAN LIKE YOU THINKS.

NUU!!


I'VE ASSUM-ED IT IN EVERY SITUATION, PRE-PARING FOR THIS. THAT'S A RUDIMENTARY PROBLEM IN THE MEANS OF BATTLE.

IT'S NOT A GODDESS... A DEATH GOD IS SMILING ON YOU!!
GUA!!

最終闘への試練の巻

CHP.180: THE ORDEAL TO THE FINAL FIGHT

卍丸…死亡
蝙翔鬼…死亡
独眼鉄…死亡
男爵ディーノ…死亡
雷電…死亡
飛燕…死亡
月光
影慶
羅刹…重傷
センクウ…死亡
三号生筆頭
剣桃太郎
三号生筆頭
大豪院邪鬼
―大威摧八連制覇16勇士―
伊達巨人
虎丸龍次…重傷
J…重傷
富樫源次…重傷
最終闘への試練の巻

DATE ALONE GOT A COMPLETE VICTORY, DEFEATING DINO AND KASETSU—!!

HE DID IT—!! IT'S COMPLETELY OVER—!!

HE REALLY IS AN AMAZING GUY—!!

WI...WITH WHAT WE'VE REACHED, YOU THINK MY LIFE IS PRECIOUS—!!

FU, EVEN RASETSU, ONE OF THE SHITENNOU, IS BEING MOCKED.

IT'S BEST YOU DON'T MOVE AWKWARDLY

IF YOU'RE TREATED, THEN WE MAY JUST SAVE YOUR LIFE.

WH... WHAT--!! THAT RASETSU IS STILL AT IT----!!
NUAA !!
GUAA ----!!

OOH!!

EVEN IF I KILLED YOU NOW, IT'S FUTILE.....

WH...WHY DID YOU STOP YOUR FIST... WH...WHY NOT KILLING ME?

B...BY NOT TAKING MY LIFE, YOU CAN'T WIN THIS MATCH.

HOLD ON TO YOUR POOR FACE AND QUICKLY GET TREATED.

THIS MATCH IS ALREADY OVER. YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT BEST.

FORGIVE ME FOR SHOWING UNSIGHTLY BE-HAVIOR IN WHAT I DID TO YOUR PARTNER.

FU, I'VE LOST.....A COMPLETE DEFEAT FOR ME.....

!!
RASETSU!!
DATE OMITO .....!!
I THINK I'M PRIDED IN FIGHTING A MAN LIKE YOU,
.....!!
AAH, THAT RA-SETSU IS THROW-ING HIMSELF INTO THE SEA OF FIRE-----!!

VICTORY FOR THE OTOKOJUKU FIRST-YEARS, DATE-TORAMARU TEAM——!!

THE 3RD FIGHT OF THE DAIISHIN FUAREN SEINA: THE SANSHOU ROKKYO-KUSEI FIGHT!!

I EXPECTED THAT FROM ONE OF OTOKOJUKU'S SHITENNOU..... HE SHOWS HIMSELF A MAN TO THE END.

HE ENDED HIS OWN LIFE WHEN HE KNEW DATE COULDN'T FINISH HIM; DATE'S VICTORY IS A PERFECT ONE.....!!

IT'S OVER, TORAMARU .....!!

S...SEND OUT THE BOAT TO PICK THEM UP- THE FIRE IS ALREADY STARTING TO BE EXTINGUISHED——!!

WOOO, WE...WE DID IT——!!

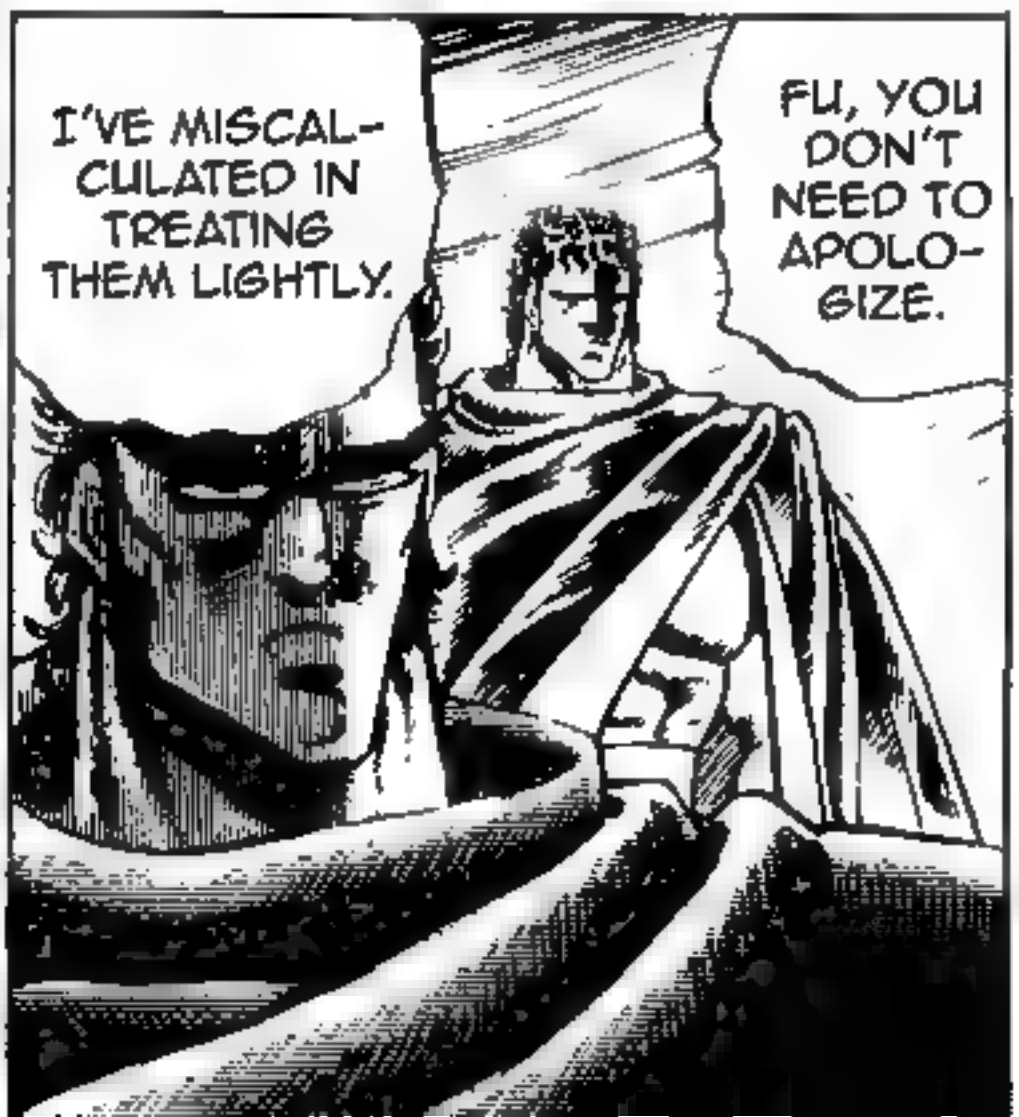
HE-Y, WE'RE COMING TO GET YOU —!!

EVEN THREE AMONG THE SHITENNOU OF THE OTOKOJUKU THIRD-YEARS HAVE BEEN ENTIRELY DEFEATED..... THEY'VE FINALLY COME THIS FAR.

THEY'RE GREAT MEN.....

BUT, THEY WON'T ARRIVE THERE SO EASILY.

WE'LL BE WAITING FOR THEM FOR THE 4TH FIGHT.



HEY, ALL OF YOU, WH... WHAT'S WITH YOUR CLAMORING OF "DATE, DATE" —!!

I'VE BEEN HURT MUCH MORE SERIOUS ----!!

HEY- DO WE HAVE ANY MORE BAN-DAGES——!!

D...DATE, ME... YOU AL-RIGHT? YOU'RE HURT ON YOUR CHEST——!!

BUT THAT WAS AN AMAZING BATTLE. I WAS REALLY TERRI-FIED WHEN YOU WERE HIT BY RASETSU'S JOUBAKUKAN!!

RIGHT, DIDN'T YOU HAVE DUMB GUTS WHEN YOU DIVED INTO THE SEA OF FIRE!!

N...NO, YOU WERE GREAT TOO.

!!

CHI, WHAT ARE YOU SAYING!!

WH...WHAT, HE'S STILL ALIVE——!!

HEY, TORAMARU'S REGAINED CONSCIOUS-NESS.

I...I'M ALIVE .....!!

LE...LET GO, I...I'M GOING WITH YOU TOO ----!!

HE...HEY, WH...WHAT ARE YOU DOING ----!!

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HE'S STUBBORN ON THE OUTSIDE, AND IS ALIVE, BUT HE'S GOT SERIOUSLY WOUNDS.

WAN TAAREN, I MAKE A REQUEST FOR TORAMARU.

RIGHT... WE'LL GIVE HIM OUR BEST.

LET'S GO FORTH!! FROM HERE WE'RE HEADING TOWARDS THE FINAL FIGHT OF THE DAIISHIN PAAREM SEIHA!!

IT IS. EVEN SO, THIS FINAL BATTLE WILL FINISH THIS

TH...THIS IS A LONG DISTANCE.

SHUT UP ——!!

HI HIDE-MARO

THERE HASN'T BEEN ANYONE WHOSE FOUGHT HIM AND LIVED UNTIL NOW.

FINALLY, BOSS JAKI OF THE THIRD-YEAR SIDE WILL APPEAR.

IT'LL BE ALRIGHT, MOMO AND GEKKOU WILL.....

NO MATTER WHO HIS OP-PONENT, HAS MOMO EVER LOST? MOMO WILL CERTAINLY WIN!!

YO...YOU DON'T BE-LIEVE IN YOUR OWN BOSS——!!

DON'T DIE, MOMO .....

FU, YOU DON'T WANT ANYONE TO DIE.

I'VE JUST.. BROUGHT ALL OF YOU INTO A SHAME-LESS FIGHT WHERE RAIDEN AND HIEN HAVE DIED.

I DON'T KNOW ...

HIS STRENGTH IS EXTRAORDI-NARY. I WON'T WIN.

HE IS THE EMPEROR OF THIS CONTEST... HE'S SAID TO BE AN EXPERT IN ALL KENPOU AND MAR-TIAL ARTS AND THERE ISN'T ANYONE WHO CAN STAND UP TO HIM IN THE THREE-HUNDRED-YEAR HIS-TORY OF OTOKO-JUKU.

WHAT IS THE CHANCE OF VICTORY..... THIS IS DAIG-OUIN JAKI, THE HEAD OF THE OTOKO-JUKU THIRD-2-YEARS..

WE'VE ARRIVED!!

WE'VE STOPPED ---!!

AT THE SUMMIT OF THIS TOWER IS THE FINAL BATTLEGROUND!!
THIS IS THE FINAL FIGHT OF THE DAI-ISHIN PAGOSEN SENNIN- TENGAKU TOUZAN!!
HUH!?

JUST THOSE OF YOU WHO WILL PROCEED FROM HERE WILL GO.

WE'VE COME THIS FAR...UP AHEAD, THE SUMMIT IS WAITING.

WH... WHAT IS TH...THIS TOWER!?

WE HAVE TO CLIMB A SPIRALING PATH TO REACH THE SUMMIT OF THE TOWER.

HEH, WHAT IS HE SAYING? IT'S EASY CLIMBING THIS MOUNTAIN ROAD!!

WELL THEN, LET'S HEAD OUT TOWARDS THE SUMMIT---!!

IF YOU CAN'T ENDURE THE ORDEAL OF CLIMBING THIS TOWER, THEN YOU'RE NOT QUALIFIED TO GO TO THE FINAL BATTLEGROUND OF THE PAAREN SEIHA.

AN ORDEAL ....!?

THIS IS A STEEP HILL ROAD. IF OUR LEGS SLIP, WE'LL TUMBLE DOWN TO THE VERY BOTTOM.
FU- I'VE GOTTEN QUITE TIRED OF CLIMBING.

BUT WHY IS THIS PATH IN THIS WEIRD FORM?
IT SEEMS TO BE SCOOPED OUT ON PURPOSE

WH...WHAT IS THAT TREMO-RING SOUND!?
I CAN'T HOLD OUT ANYMORE .....
WH-AT, WE'VE ALREADY CLIMBED HALFWAY UP THE TOWER
IT'S QUICKLY GETTING LOUDER AND CLOSER——!
IS...THE TOWER EX-PLODING——!?
!!

WH... WHAT ----!!
IT...IT'LL RUN US ALL OVER----!!
A...BALL; A MASSIVE IRON BALL IS ROLLING DOWN FROM THE SUMMIT ----!!

WH...WHAT'S THAT!? A MASSIVE IRON BALL IS ROLLING DOWN FROM THE SUMMIT——!!
KI...RUN OR ALL OF US WILL GET SQUASHED ——!!
核を撃て!
CHP. 81: DESTROY THE CORE!

UNGHHH, IT'S REALLY FAST—!!
NO...NOW ABOUT IF WE CLING TO THE SIDE WALL BY RUNNING TO THE SIDE—!!
EVEN IF WE COULD DO THAT, IT'LL CRUSH OUR FINGERS AND END UP FALLING TO THE BOTTOM!!
U...NO: THE IRON BALL ISN'T LEAVING AN OPENING ALONG THE EDGE OF THE PATH—!!

GUE!!
SO AS IS, THE ONLY THING WE CAN DO IS RUN TO THE BASE WITH ALL OUR POWER.
HOW COULD YOU SAY THAT: IT'S 1-6 RUN TO THE BOTTOM; DO YOU REALLY THINK WE'LL GET THAT FAR—!!
UNGAA —!!
TSU... TSUBAKI-YAMA —!!
IF THAT'S IT, THEN WHAT ELSE CAN WE DO—!!

R...RIGHT !!
KEEP GOING, EVERYONE!!
NUUU!! WE'VE TO MAKE IT STOP——!!
NO... MONO ——!!

I...ENDURE THIS-
STRAIN THROUGH
YOUR POWER WITH
AS MUCH OF AS
POSSIBLE-----!!
UOOO----!!
KI-GAIT,
STAND FIRM
ON THIS----!!
KUUUA----!!

WELL, WE HAVE DONE THAT IF WE COULD!!

BUT WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO MOVE THIS TO THE OTHER SIDE BY CLIMBING OVER THE BALL WITH A HUMAN LADDER!!

N...NO GOOD--!! THIS IRON BALL IS REALLY HEAVY!! WE CAN'T BARE WITH THIS FOR-EVER!!

GE...GEK KOU.....!!

LEAVE THIS TO ME

.....

!!

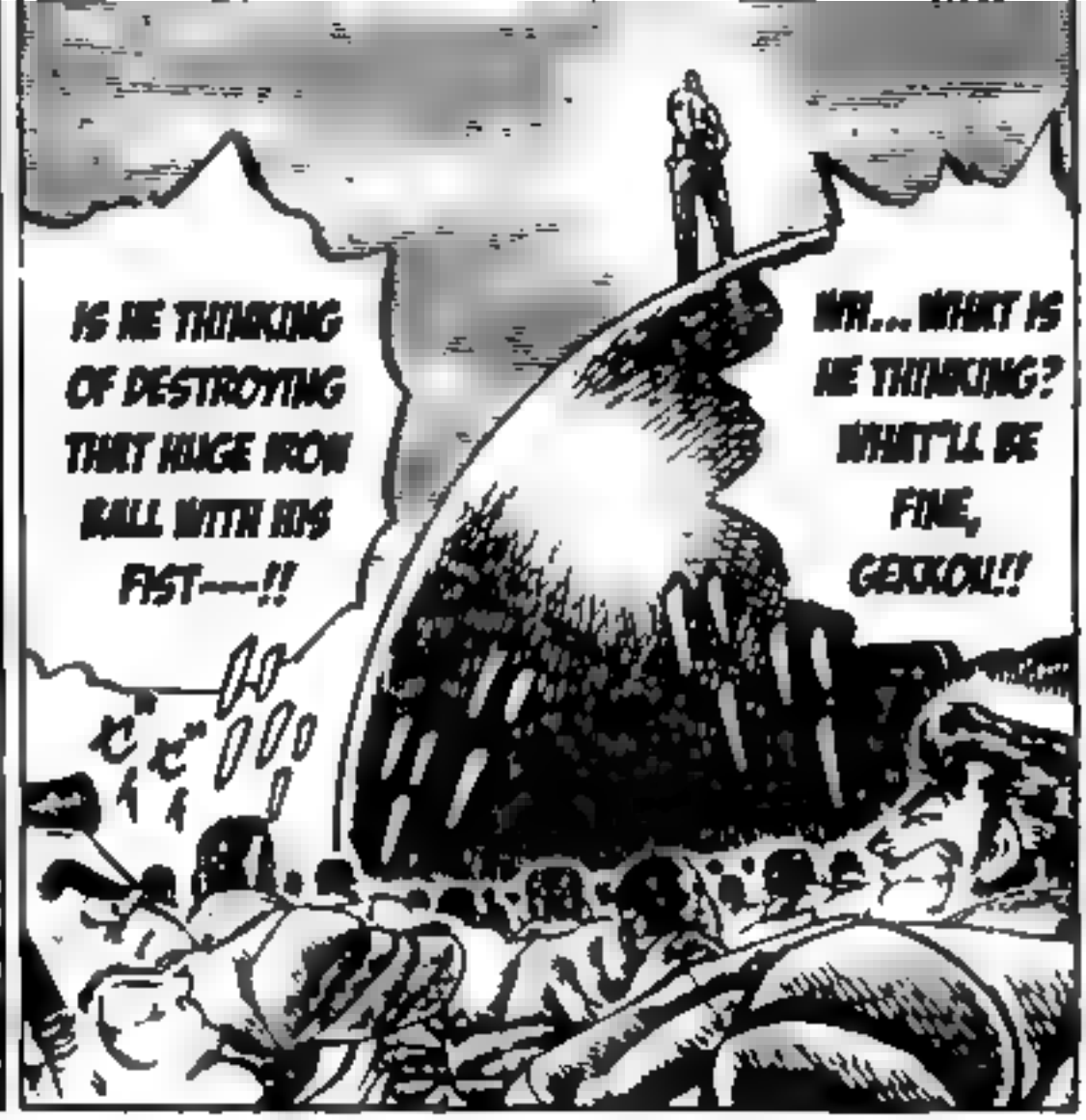
UO!!

BU...BUT WHAT WILL HE DO BY GOING UP THERE...!!

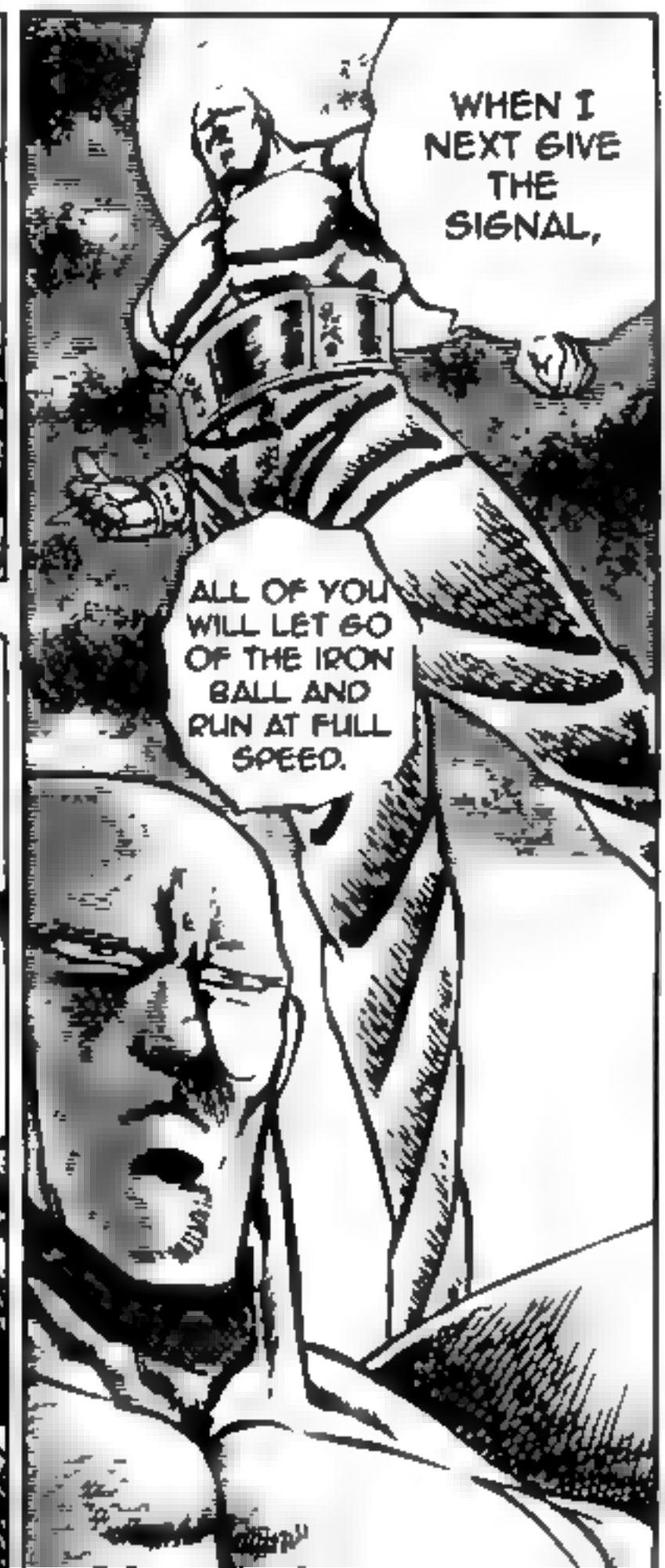
TH...THAT BODY SEEMS SO LIGHT ....!!

THAT'LL BE FINE .....!!

THAT HIT JUST NOW IS FOR MAKING SOME MARK.
NO.....


IS HE THINKING OF DESTROYING THAT HUGE IRON BALL WITH HIS FIST---!!
WH...WHAT IS HE THINKING? WHAT'LL BE FINE, GEKKOU!!

I...I'VE ALREADY USED UP MY PHYSICAL STRENGTH; I CAN'T EVEN RUN TEN METERS!!
WH...WHAT DOES HE MEAN!? WE'LL STILL BE CHASED DOWN BY THE BALL!!
WE'LL ALL BE GOING TO THAT WORLD AS PAN-CAKES---!!


WHEN I NEXT GIVE THE SIGNAL,
ALL OF YOU WILL LET GO OF THE IRON BALL AND RUN AT FULL SPEED.

R...RIGHT, WE...GET IT. WE DO AS MOMO SAID
WELL, AT THIS RATE, IT'S A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE OUR STRENGTH RUNS OUT.

STOP THAT! WE'RE DOING AS GEKKOU SAID HERE.
JUST BE-LIEVE IN HIM.

GO!!
DORYA---!! THIS IS DES-PERATE---!!

WOO
---!!
MUU!!
HAA--!!

WH... WHAT ----!!
THAT GEKKOU IS STANDING IN THE WAY OF THAT IRON BALL ALONE ----!!

GE...
GEKKOU
---!!

"CHAKU-KE" = "WALK SCHOOL" "KAKU-SAIKOU" = "CORE SMASHING HOLE"

HE... SMASHED THE IRON BALL WITH ONE BLOW OF HIS FIST...!!

WHA .....!!

WITH THE IRON BALL RELIN-QUISHING A NAVEL, THE POWER OF THE FIST WAS DOUBLED USING THE SPEED OF THE ROLLING BALL...

IT'S NOT THAT BIG A DEAL:

HOWEVER, DIS-COVERING THAT POINT IN AN OBJECT IS NEXT TO IMPOSSIBLE AND EVEN A CUTTER OF THE AFOREMEN-TIONED DIA-MOND MUST STUDY FOR CLOSE TO THIRTY YEARS FOR IT -FROM "A THEORY OF THE STRUCTURE OF THE MOLECULAR CORE", MINMEI PUBLISHING

ALL MATERIALS THAT EXIST IN THE WORLD CONSIST DUE TO A COMBINATION OF MOLECULES. EVEN WITHIN THEM, MINER-ALS POSSESS A UNIQUE CONSTRUC-TION, BY PRESENTING AN IMPACT TO THE WEAKEST POINT OF COHESIVE POWER IN THE COLLECTION OF MOLECULES; IT'S EXTREMELY EASY TO CAUSE A CHAIN RE-ACTION WITHIN THE MOLECULAR SPACE, DESTROYING THE OBJECT THIS POINT THAT SHOULD BE CALLED "THE OBJECT'S NAVEL" IS SCIENTIFICALLY CALLED THE "PRUTZFON POINT". FOR EX-AMPLE, IT IS POSSIBLE FOR DIAMONDS, WHICH POSSESS THE GREATEST HARD-NESS ON EARTH, TO BE INSTANTLY PUL-VERIZED WITH A BLOW FROM A CHISEL IF THE PRUTZFON POINT IS ASCERTAINED

EVEN I'D BE IN DANGER IF I FOUGHT HIM.

FUFU, AS EXPECTED OF GEKKOU, WHO IS ADMIRED AS THE STRONGEST MAN OF THE SANMEN-KEN.

WE'RE FINALLY AT THE FINAL BATTLE ……!!

LET'S GO.

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WE'LL BE AT THE SUMMIT SOON---!!

AMAZING, GEKKOU!! WITH YOU TEAMING WITH MOMO, WE'RE NOT AFRAID OF JAKI OR ANY OPPONENT ---!!

I'M SCARE THAT IT'LL TAKE MY BELLY-BUTTON.

WHAT'S WITH THE WEATHER? TH...THAT'S TERRIBLE LIGHTNING.

DON'T TALK SO STUPID. HOW COULD IT TAKE YOUR BELLYBUTTON? IF YOU'RE STRUCK BY THAT, YOU'LL BE GOING TO THAT WORLD BURNT TO A CRISP!!

IT SEEMS LIKE THE SUMMIT OF THE TOWER.

LOOK:

ALRIGHT, LET'S GO!!

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CHP. 82: THE LEGENDARY MAN: EIKEI

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WH...
WHAT IS
THIS--!!

.....IS... THIS THE FINAL BATTLE-GROUND .....!?
WH...WHAT ARE THOSE EERIE STATUES CIRCLING THE SURROUNDINGS .....!?
THIS IS THE TENRAI KYOUSHIN BATTLE-GROUND FOR THE FINAL FIGHT OF THE DAIISHIN PAAREN SEIHA!!
YOU'VE DONE WELL IN REACHING THE SUMMIT OF TENSAKU TOUZAN.
"TENRAI KYOUSHIN TOUJOU" = "THUNDER-ECHOING NEEDLE BATTLEGROUND"
THESE ARE IN HONOR OF THE EIGHT KENPOISTS WHO WERE SAID TO DRIVE AWAY TO HEAVEN THE EIGHT-HEADED DRAGON THAT TORMENTED THE PEOPLE OF ANCIENT CHINA.
PAAREN HENTEN-RYUU HACHI-TOUSH-INZOU!
WA... WAN TAAREN ....!!

SO THEN, I SHALL EXPLAIN THIS TENRAI KYOUSHIN FIGHT!

WELL, IF YOU LOOK CLOSELY AT THE GROUND, THERE ARE MANY HOLES OPENED..... WHAT EXACTLY ARE THEY .....!?

WH...WHAT? HE SET LOOSE SOME GOAT?

WHAT WILL HAPPEN WHEN LIGHTNING FALLS ON THEM..... WATCH.

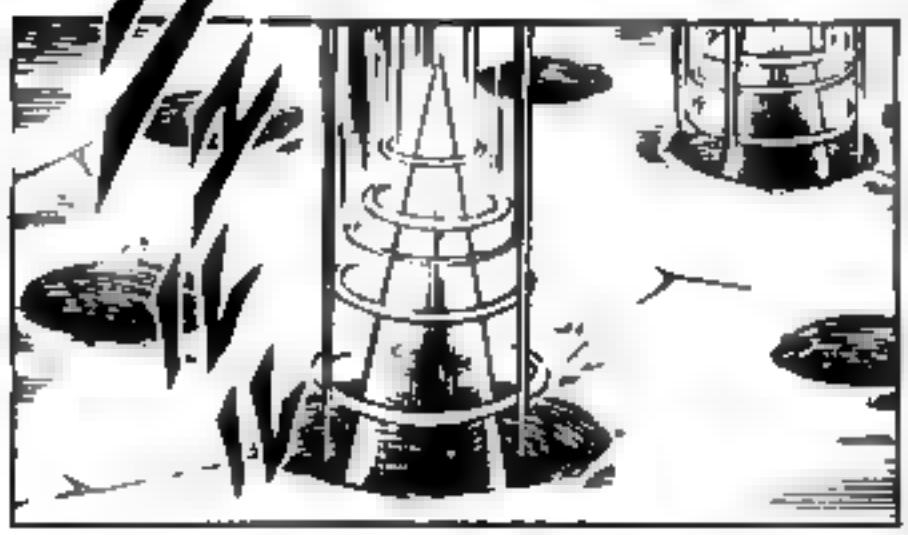
ON THE HEADS OF EACH TOUSHINZOU SURROUNDING THIS BATTLE-GROUND IS A LIGHTNING ROD.

GULP ---!!

IT'S FALLING --!!

THE POSITION OF THE HOLES WHERE THE SPEARS WILL COME OUT DEPENDS ON WHICH GOD STATUE THE LIGHTNING FALLS ON. IN OTHER WORDS, THE ONES WHO ARE FIGHTING WON'T KNOW WHERE IT WILL BE.

UNDERSTAND? WE'VE ARRANGED FOR A HUNDRED SPEARS TO POKE OUT FROM THE 800 HOLES IN THE GROUND USING THE ELECTRIC POWER FROM THE LIGHTNING FALLING ON THE GOD STATUES.



DON'T BE NEGLI-GENT.

YOU'LL BE FIGHTING JAKI IN THE BOSS FIGHT.

I'LL GO AHEAD.

RIGHT .....!!

RAISE THE STAIRS ---!!

GO GET THEM, GEKKOU ---!!

THOSE 3RDS WILL BE A PUSHOVER FOR YOU ---!!

HA N GU RA TA N TE SU N SO SU N SO HA N GU-RA

ZA MU RA MA KE N SO NI HA N GU RA

MAGNIFICENT. GOOD. YOU'VE FOUGHT TO THE END THIS FAR IN THE DAIISHIN PAAREN SEIHA.
DAIGOUIN JAKI, HEAD OF THE OTOKOJUKU THIRD-YEARS, PRAISES YOU!!

IT'S ONLY BY DEFEAT-ING ME ....

ALL OF YOU: TO LIVE IS NOT BY DESCEND-ING THE TOWER.

BUT THE TRUE BATTLE STARTS HERE.

THERE IS AN OPPONENT I'M NO MATCH FOR IN THIS WORLD.....

HE'S NO MATCH FOR YOU, THE STRON-GEST OF THE SHITENNOU.

I'LL LEAVE GEKKOU TO YOU, EIKEI.....

AND THAT MAN THAT'S NEXT TO HIM: HIS...LEVEL IS DIFFERENT FROM THOSE SHITENNOU THAT HAVE APPEARED UNTIL NOW.

WH...WHAT, MY BACK IS CHILLY FROM IT GETTING COLD.

TH...THAT'S JAKI, WHOSE CALLED THE EMPEROR OF OTOKOJUKU. .....

THAT IS ONLY YOU, JAKI-SAMA.

IS IT REALLY THAT EIKEI .....!!

.....!?

WHAT'S WRONG, DATE, DO YOU KNOW HIM?

EIKEI .....!?

RIGHT, SHOW IT TO HIM FROM THE START OF THE MATCH!!

GEKKOU, SHOW TO HIM YOUR KAKU-SAIKOUKEN ---!!

IT'S A STORY I'VE HEARD FROM SOMEONE FROM THREE YEARS AGO...

IT WAS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE KANRETSU BUDOU TOURNAMENT, WHICH WAS OPENING HAVING GATHEREC FIRST-CLASS FIGHTERS WHO HELD SKILL FROM ACROSS JAPAN

GENTLEMEN, WELCOME TO OUR TOURNAMENT AFTER JOURNEYING THIS LONG WAY!!

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IT WAS ME.
GE!!

ALL OF YOU: GATHER YOUR-SELVES AND COME AT ME.

THERE'S NO NEED TO. I HATE THOSE BOTHER-SOME THINGS.

YOU'RE A FACE I HADN'T SEEN, BUT IF YOU'RE PARTICIPAT-ING, THEN WE SHOULD GO THROUGH THE EXACT PROCE-DURES---!!

I WAS INFORMING THEM OF THE TRA-DITION OF THIS KANRETSU BUDOU TOURNAMENT!!

HUH .....!!

LET'S BEAT UP THIS RUDE GUY ---!!

IT WAS TRULY AN INSTANTANEOUS EVENT. IT WAS SO FAST THAT IT WASN'T EVEN SEEN IN THEIR EYES, BUT HE WAS SAID TO BE WIELDING A THING THAT WAS LIKE A NUNCHACKU.

THUS THE MAN LEFT A SINGLE WORD OF HIS OWN NAME AND LEFT THE PLACE.

AFTER JUST UNDER A MINUTE, ALL THE OTHER FIFTY FIGHTERS WERE LAYING IN A SEA OF BLOOD, ALL BUT DEAD.

WHAT ARE THOSE NUNCHACKU IN THAT DREADFUL SHAPE.....!!

TH... THAT'S HIS WEAPON .....!!

INTEREST-ING, I'LL TAKE YOUR CHAL-LENGE.

..... TEN SEC-ONDS .....

HOWEVER, IT WILL BE TEN SEC-ONDS. IN TEN SEC-ONDS, THIS MATCH WILL END!!

SO YOU'RE CALLED GEKKOU? I KNOW THAT YOU ARE QUITE SKILLED.

THIS MATCH WILL HEAD TO ITS END IN TEN SEC-ONDS!!
TEN SEC-ONDS .....
TH...THAT EIKEI GUY HAS MADE A PRELIMINARY DECLARATION THAT HE'LL DEFEAT GEKKOU IN TEN SEC-ONDS---!!
WH...WHAT IS HE SAYING: THE ONE WHO WILL GO DOWN IN TEN SECONDS IS YOU---!!
WH...WHAT, TEN SECONDS ---!!
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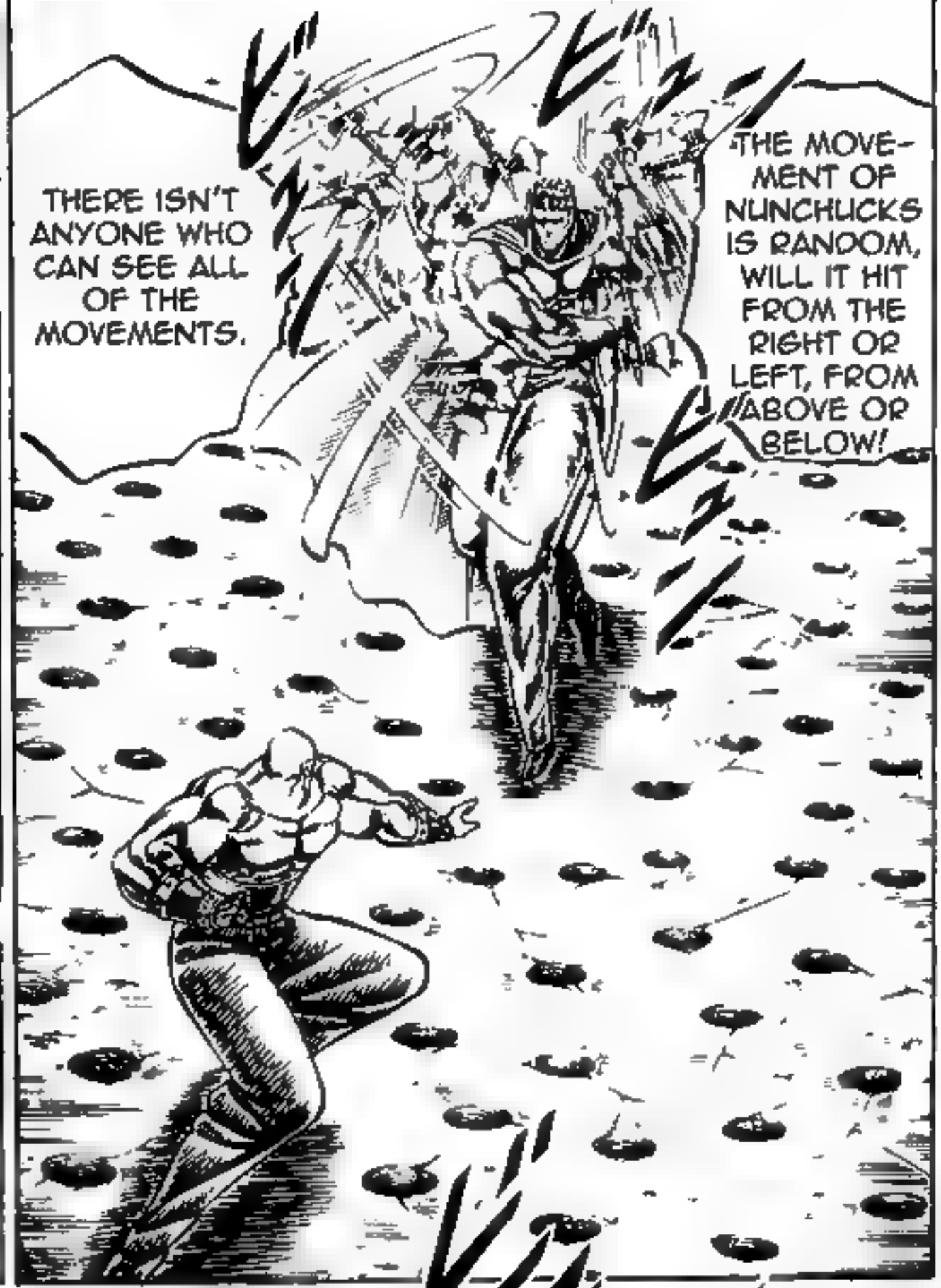
CHP. 83: VICTORY IN A FLASH

勝機一閃の巻
THE FINAL FIGHT OF THE DAIISHIN PAAREN SEIHA: THE TENRAI KYOUSHIN FIGHT!!
BEGIN ---!!
THERE ISN'T A PERSON WHO IS ALIVE ONCE EIKEI'S PREDICTED TIME LIMIT .....!!
FU, TEN SECONDS .....

KIJIN-
RYUU:
HONFU
NUNCHUCK!!


THERE ISN'T ANYONE WHO CAN SEE ALL OF THE MOVEMENTS.
THE MOVEMENT OF NUNCHUCKS IS RANDOM, WILL IT HIT FROM THE RIGHT OR LEFT, FROM ABOVE OR BELOW!

HE...CAN'T SEE THEM. THEY'RE...AS IF HE CAN'T SEE ANY-THING.....!!
A... AMAZING, HOW FAST.
IT'S WON-DERFUL THAT YOU CAN HOLD OUT FOR THIS LONG!!
TEN SEC-ONDS TOO LONG .....!!

HA
----!!
NUU!!

AAH, GEKKOU'S IRON FIST WAS BROKEN ----!!

FIVE MORE SEC-ONDS!!

HOWEVER, THIS HONFU NUNCHUCK CAN'T BE RI-VALED IN THEIR DESTRUCTIVE POWER. AND THEIR SPEED CAN BECOME MUCH FASTER

SOMEHOW YOU CAN SEE A LITTLE OF THIS. YOU MATCHED YOUR IRON FIST AND IT WAS SPLIT BY THE HONFU.....!!

HOOH
---!!
YOU
CAN'T
ESCAPE!!

THREE MORE SEC-ONDS!!
N...NO, THE NUNCHUCK IS AS HE SAID: IT'S QUICKLY GETTING FASTER. A...HUMAN EYE REALLY CAN'T SEE IT ALL-----!!
GE... GEKKOU ---!!

TH...IS IS BAD, HE'S LOST HIS BALANCE ---!!
TWO!!
IT'S ADMIRABLE YOU HAVEN'T BEEN DEFEATED NOW.
YOU'LL BE THE FIRST THAT USED UP MY FIGHT PREDICTED-TIME.
ONE! DIE, GEKKOU!!

GE...
GEKKOU'S
BEEN KILLED
---!!
GEKKOU
---!!

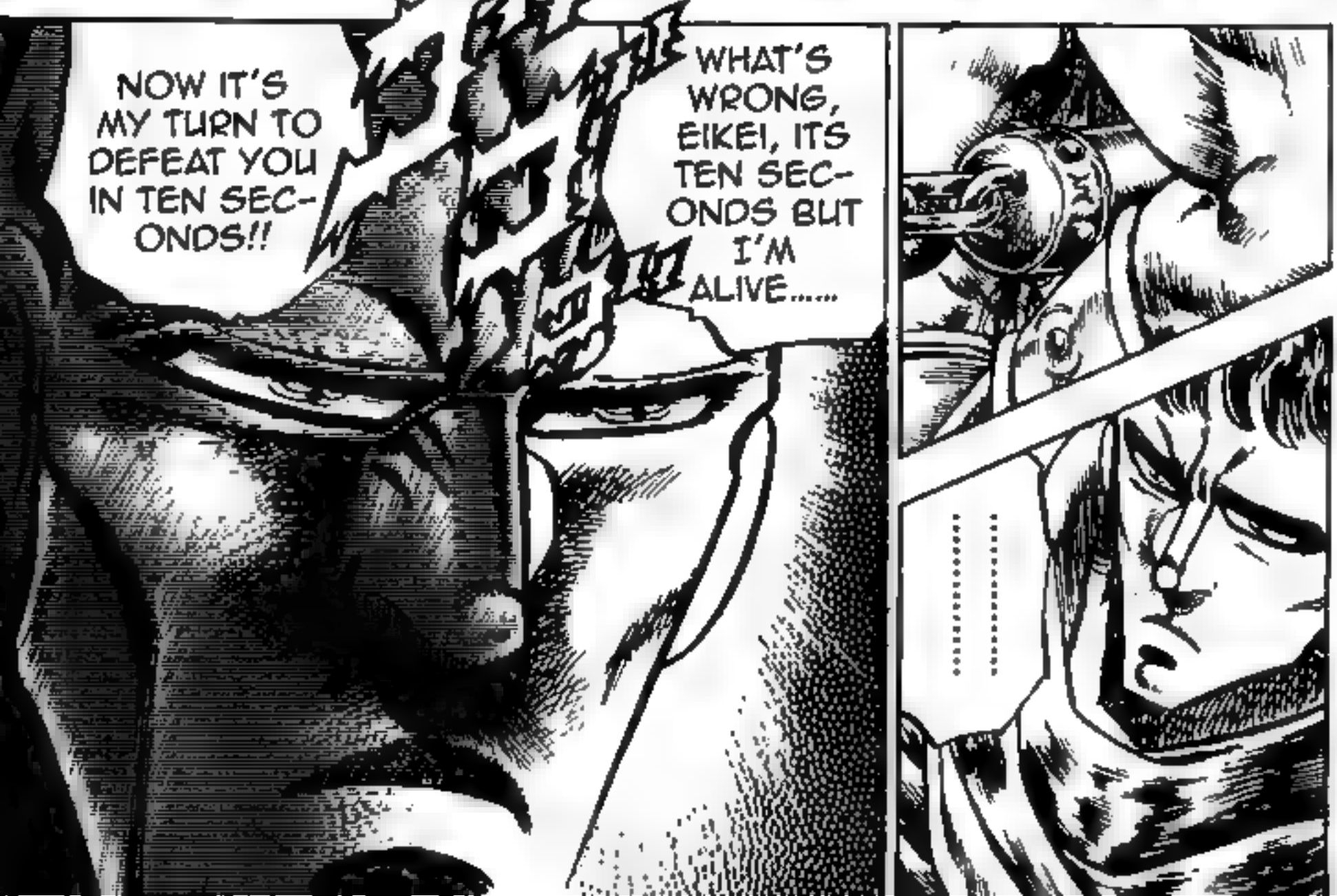
GEKKOU BARELY SAW THE COMPLETE MOVEMENT OF THE NUNCHUCK .....!!
NO, LOOK CLOSER .....

HE...WAS KILLED: TH...THAT GEKKOU, ADMIRED AS THE STRONGEST OF THE SANMENKEN WAS ONESIDEDLY .....
AND... FURTHER, IT WAS EXACTLY TEN SECONDS, AS EIKEI PREDICTED .....!!

SO..SO THEN WHAT EXACTLY DO YOU MEAN.....!
WH... WHAT, MOMO .....!!

WH...WHAT... LO...LOOK--!! GE...GEKKOU WASN'T KILLED!!

THE NUNCHUCK WAS STUCK UNDER HIS ARMPIT-----!!



FINE, COME AT ME AS MUCH AS YOU WANT.
THIS TIME, YOU WANT TO DEFEAT ME IN TEN SECONDS .....
I NEED 20...NO, 30 FOR YOU.
WELL, YOUR POWER SEEMS GREATER THAN I THOUGHT.
TH...THIS TIME, GEKKOU HAS PRE-DICTED TEN SECONDS FOR EIKEI!!
WH...WHAT'S GOING ON.....!!

IT'S ALREADY BEEN A SECOND!!
NOW, COME AT ME!!

THREE!
FOUR!!

TWO

FIVE

BUT THEN, HOW CAN YOU BREAK THROUGH ME WHEN I DON'T ANY OPENINGS.
WHAT'S WRONG, AREN'T YOU GOING TO COME.....HALF OF YOUR ANNOUNCED TIME HAS ALREADY PASSED.

SIX!!

EIGHT!!

IT DOES EXIST... APPARENTLY HE SEEMS LIKE HE CAN JUST BE STABBED, BUT HE DOESN'T LEAVE AN OPENING ANYWHERE .....!!

IS IT REALLY AS EIKEI SAID: HE WON'T GO AFTER HIM SINCE HE DOESN'T HAVE AN OPENING ---!?

WHAT'S GOING ON, WHAT IS THIS MOMO!! GEKKOU ISN'T DOING ANY-THING; HE'S MERELY JUST IN A STANCE ---!!

GEKKOU SEEMS TO BE WAITING FOR SOME-THING.....!!

.....HE'S WAITING!!

IT'S OVER; WITH YOU DOING NOTHING EVEN WITH YOUR LONG-AWAITED CHANCE YOU WERE PRE-SENTED.

THREE SECONDS LEFT!!

THE SPEARS ARE GOING TO COME FROM THE GROUND ---!!
AAH, LIGHT-NING IS FALL-ING ON THE ROD ON THE GOD-STATUE ---!!
!!

NINE!!

NOW I HAVE A BRIEF OPENING WITH THE UNKNOWING YOU!
I'VE GOT IT: WITH THE LIGHT-NING COMING ....!...
UH!!

PREDICTING THE TIME IT WOULD STRIKE THE GOD-STATUE. THAT'S TEN SECONDS.....!!
GEKKOU CALCULATED THE TIME VARIATION OF THE LIGHTNING FLASH AND THE SOUND OF THUNDER,
THAT'S THE ESSENCE OF CHAKUKE-RYUU KENPOU!
WIND, FIRE, EARTH, WATER: I USE NATURE TO MY ADVANTAGE, GENERALLY ASSISTING ME TO MAKE VICTORY MY OWN.

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CHP.84: INVISIBLE WING

AS IS, HE'LL BE SKEWERED BY A SPEAR THAT'S STICKING OUT OF THE GROUND ----!!
HE...DID IT; GEKKOU'S JUMP KICK HAS ENDED IT ----!!

WH... WHAT---! BOTH ARE ON TOP OF THE SPEARS ---!!

HA!!

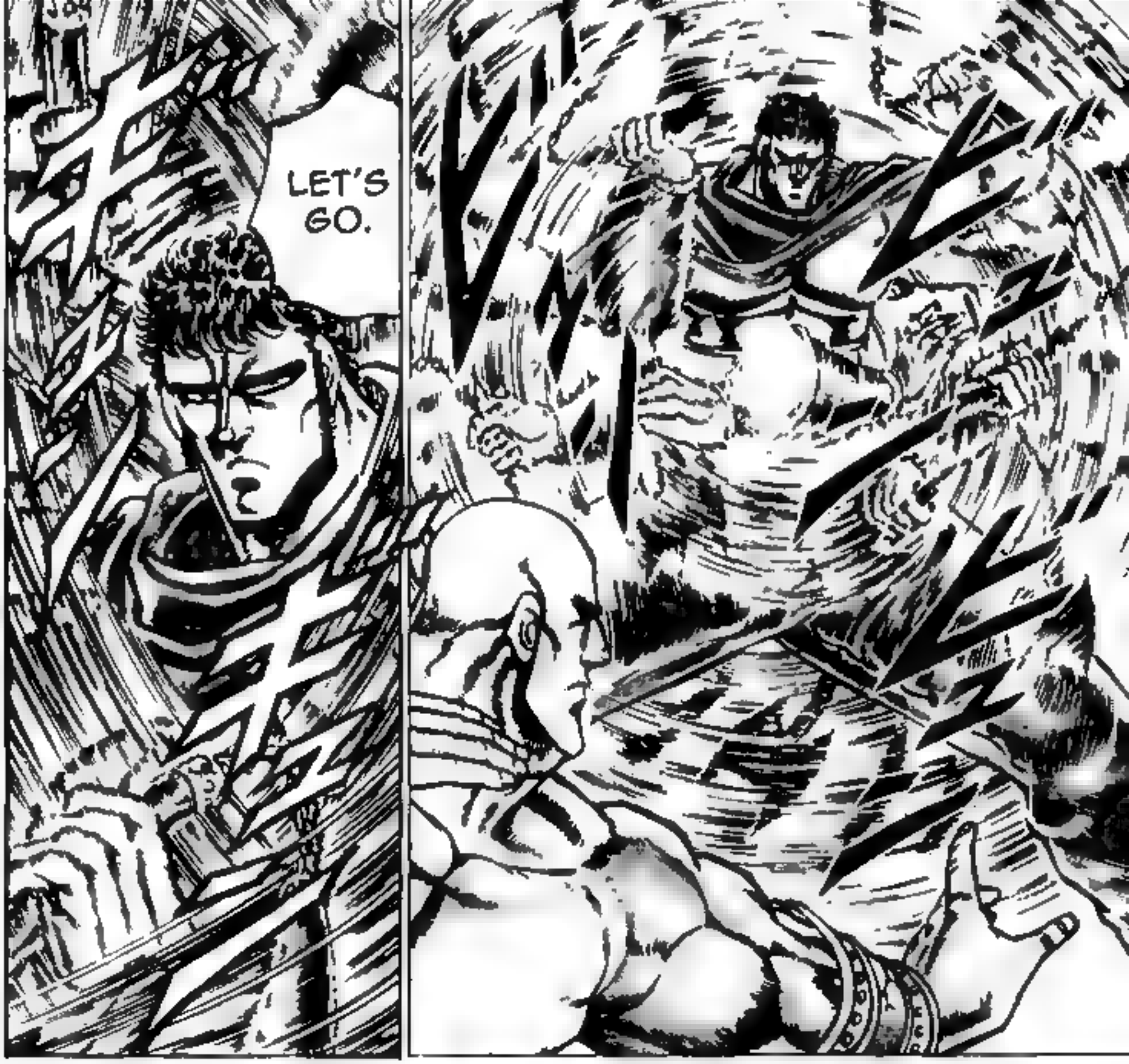
HUH

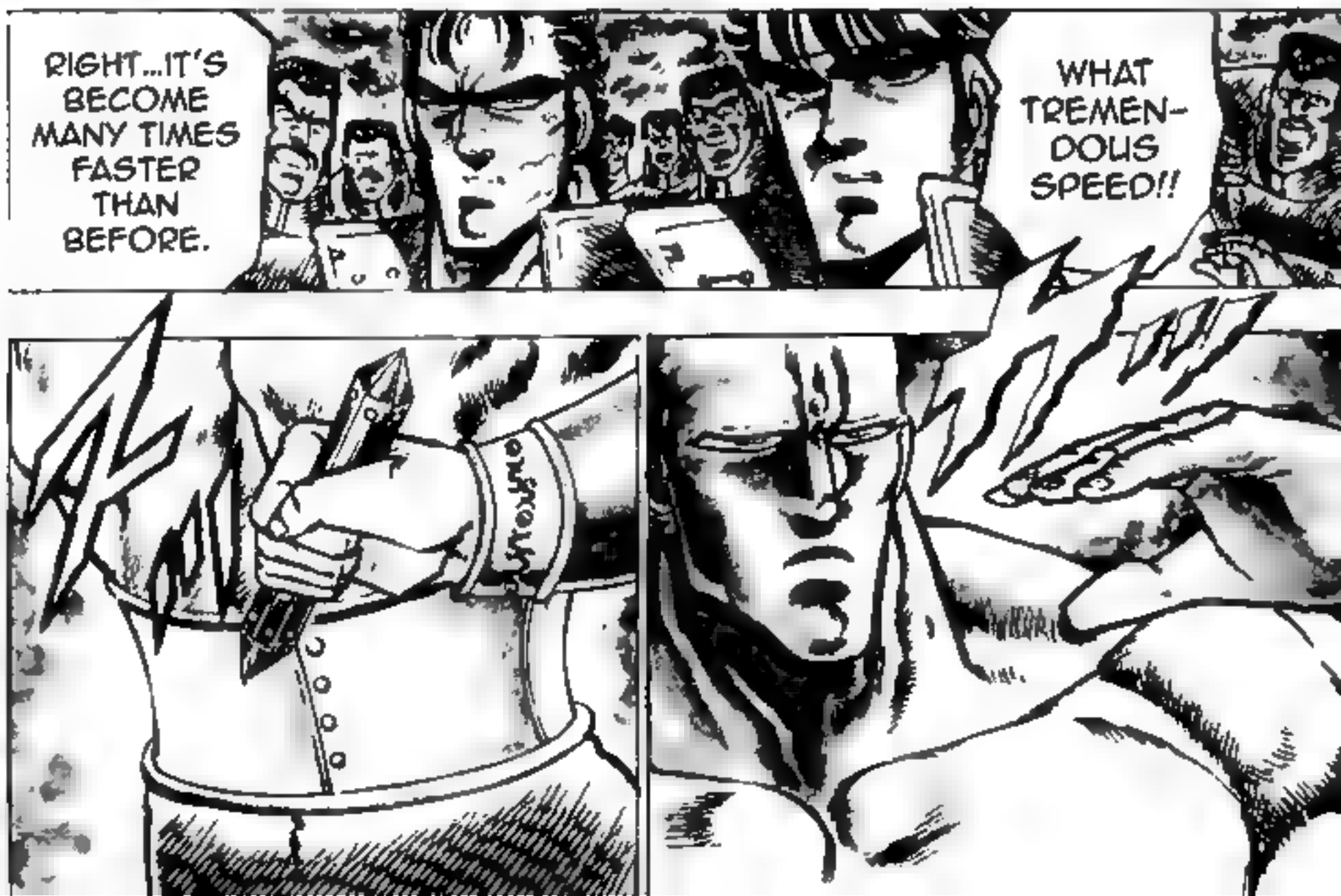
.....

SO THEN, WE'VE BOTH MADE LIGHT OF OUR OPPONENT.

FU..... EVEN YOU COULDN'T DEFEAT ME IN TEN SEC-ONDS.

WARMING UPS ARE OVER...NOW WILL BE THE REAL THING .....!!
I'LL SHOW YOU THE TRUE POWER OF MY HOMFU NUNCHUCK.


LET'S GO.


RIGHT...IT'S BECOME MANY TIMES FASTER THAN BEFORE.
WHAT TREMEN-DOUS SPEED!!

NUU!!
!!

LET ME SHOW YOU HAKYOKU-RYUU KON-BOUJUTSU ...!!

OOH, GEKKOU HAS REPELLED THE NUN-CHUCK BY TAKING OUT A STAFF---!!

HOW-EVER, YOU CAN'T USE THAT ON ME.

INTERESTING, SO YOU USE A KON..... A KON IS BY THE BOOK OF KENPOU FOR OPPOSING NUN-CHUCKS.

IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE SOMEONE USE IT AGAINTS ME.

TAKE THIS ----!!

Y...YOU...!!

KU!!

FU...THERE ISN'T ANYONE WHO IS SUPERIOR TO GEKKOU IN USING A KON.

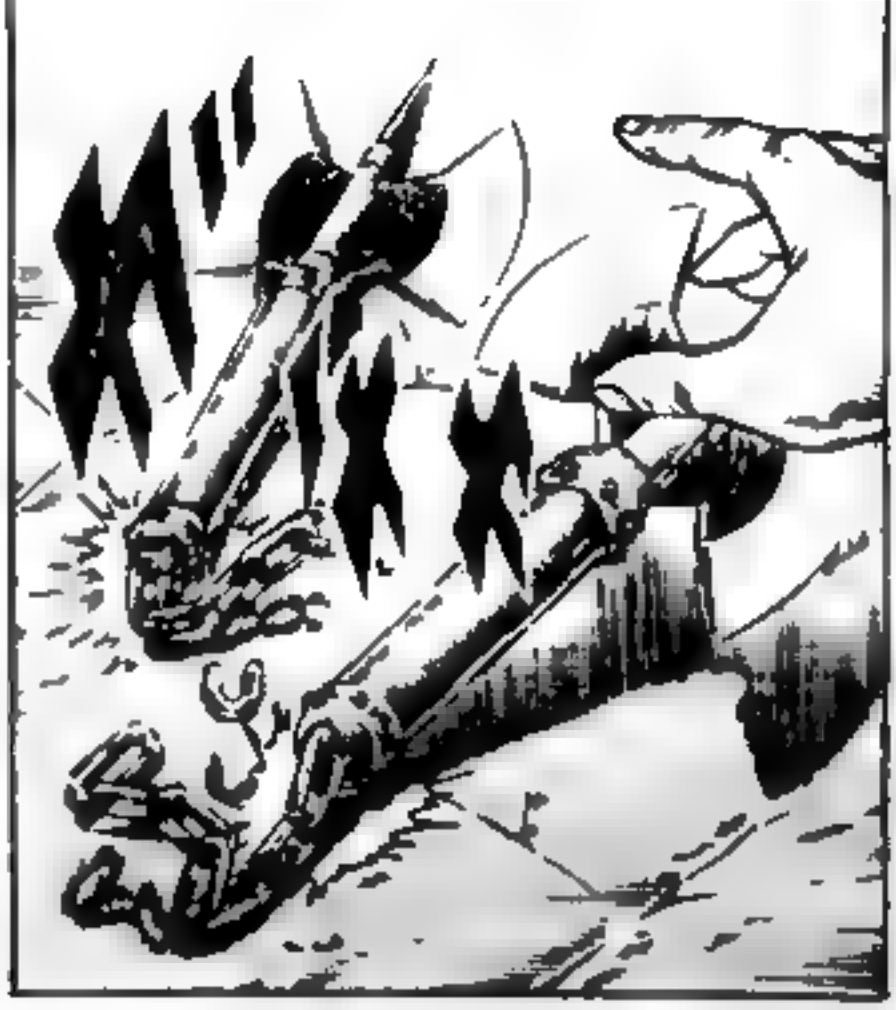
HE'S TURNING BACK THAT NUN-CHUCK WITH THEIR TERRIFYING ATTACK----!!
YOU'RE AMAZING GEKKOU!!

!!

HUMPH!!

NOW HE CAN'T USE HIS NUNCHUCK ANYMORE---!!
HE...DID IT: HE SEVERED THE CHAIN LINKING THE NUN-CHUCK---!!
TH-ERE, TAKE THE MATCH---!!

THE ONLY WEAKNESS OF A NUN-CHUCK IS ITS LINK-ING CHAIN!!



I'VE GOT YOU, EIKEI!!

!?
HOW ABSURD..... DO YOU THINK ALL I AM IS MERELY MY HONFU NUNCHUCK?
YOU'VE GOT ME...

KILL!

WHAT EXACTLY IS GOING ON!? HE GOT GEKKOU FROM A FAR DISTANCE---!!

GE... GEKKOU ---!!

A TOOL THAT FLIES .....

YES.

.....!!

FU, YOU'LL UNDER-STAND NOW.

KUIN-RYUU: KYOUTOUY-OKU!!

WH...WHAT IS...THAT---! LOOK CLOSELY, HE'S HOLDING A OBJECT THAT'S TRANSPARENT LIKE GLASS BETWEEN HIS FINGERS!

HE THREW IT AND IT RETURNED AGAIN LIKE A BOOMERANG---!!

KYAA
---!!

N...NO, HE CAN'T SEE IT. HE CAN'T DEFEND FROM THE ATTACK. AT THIS RATE, GEKKOU WILL BE KILLED---!!
TH...THAT GEKKOU CAN'T MOVE A STEP---!!

MY NEXT THROW WILL BE THE LAST AND THE END OF YOU!

DIE ---!!

GE... GEKKOU ---!!

AAH, WH...WHAT'S WITH THAT GEKKOU? HE'S SUCKING IN THE BLOOD FROM THE WOUND HE TOOK EARLIER---!?
WHAT ---!!

OOOH! THAT GEKKOU IS AMAZ-ING: HE BLEW OUT THE BLOOD AND HAS REVEALED THE WING----!!
NOW HE CAN GO IN AT ONCE---!!
HE...DID IT, HE KNOCKED DOWN THE BOOMER-ANG---!!

W... WHY DON'T HE THROW OUT HIS FINISHER !?
WHA.....!? WHAT'S WRONG, GEKKOU IS.....!?

SLEEP PEACE-FULLY, GEKKOU..... I WON'T FORGET YOUR NAME. YOU'RE THE FIRST TO HAVE COR-NERED ME THIS FAR.

I'VE FAILED...YOU RELEASED TWO BLADES SIMULTANE-OUSLY,

WH... WHAT----!! GEKKOU'S BACK HAS BEEN STABBED BY ANOTHER WING----!!

I...RE GRET THAT .....!!

ATTACKING ME FROM FRONT AND BACK.....!! I...I'VE LOST, EIKE!.....!!

GEKKOU ----!!

CHP.185: THE BLOODY CHARACTERS TO VICTORY
TH.. THAT GEKKOU, SAID TO BE THE STRONGEST MAN OF THE SANMENKEN, WAS..
HE...WAS KILLED..... .....!!
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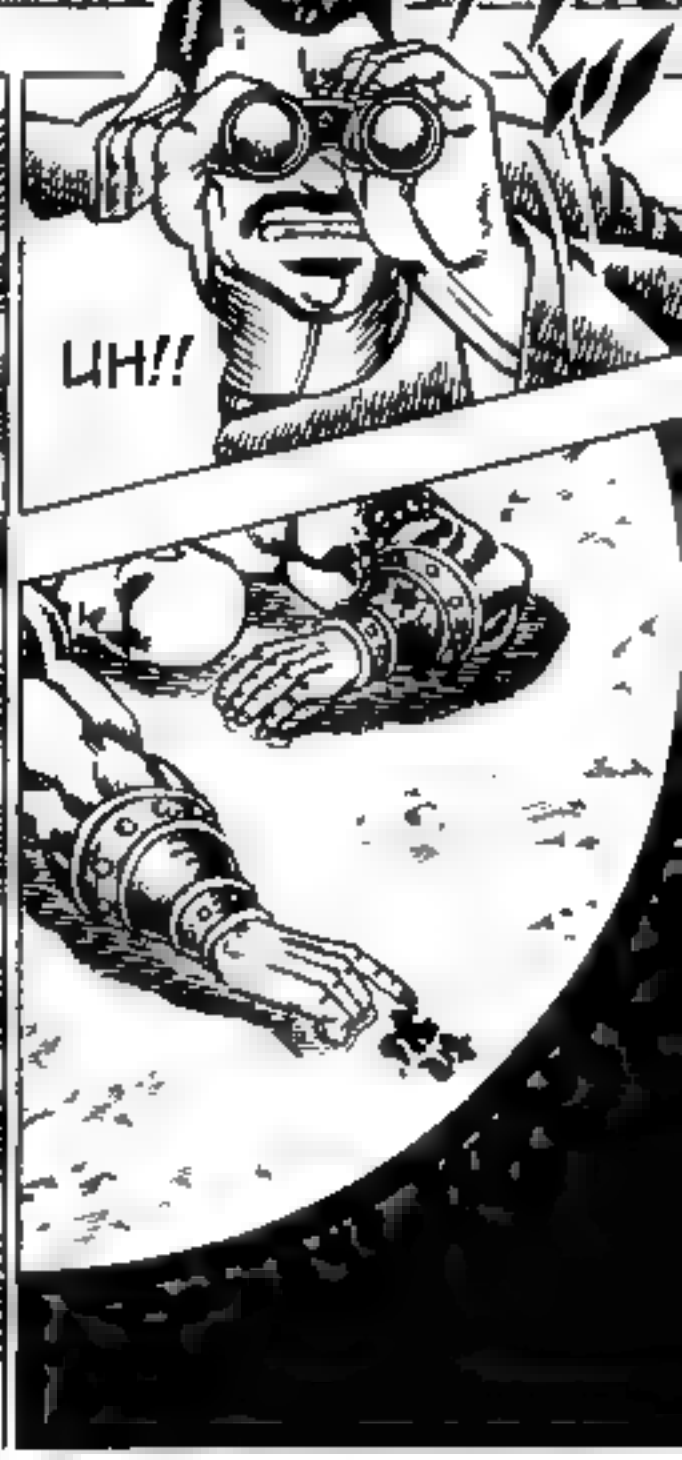
THE BATTLE IS OVER. SLEEP PEACE-FULLY, GEKKOU .....!!

GEKKOU ----!!



CHARACTERS: NYOGOU

GE... GEKKOU .....

NYOGOU .....!!

UUH .....!!

HE'S... WRITING BLOODY CHARACTERS .....!!

NYOGOU .....!?

GEKKOU, WHO IS ALWAYS SILENT AND DOESN'T SHOW HIS EMOTIONS, IS STRAINING THE LAST OF HIS POWER IN THIS WORLD TO LEAVE THIS NOTE BEHIND...

VICTORY GOES TO EIKEI OF THE OTOKOJUKU THIRD-YEAR SIDE IN THE FIRST MATCH OF THE TENRAI KYOUSHIN FIGHT, THE FINAL FIGHT OF THE DAIJISHIN FUAREN SEIHA!

TAKE THIS CORPSE OFF THE PREMISES.

DEATH CONFIRMED!

AS IS, WE SHOULD START SOON.
ITS NO NEED TO REST.

WE WILL CONTINUE WITHOUT BREAK TO THE SECOND MATCH, BUT IF YOU STILL WANT TO CATCH YOUR BREATH, THEN YOU CAN TAKE A QUICK REST.
THIS FINAL BATTLE IS A WINNER-STAYS-BEHIND MATCH UNTIL BOTH MEMBERS OF THE OPPOSITION ON EITHER SIDE HAS BEEN COMPLETELY DEFEATED.

WH...WHAT IS TH...THIS GUY? HE HAD THAT INTENSE BATTLE WITH GEKKOU AND DOESN'T WANT TO BREAK---!!
AND NOW HE'S MOMO'S OPPONENT---!!

DO WHAT YOU LIKE, EIKEI.
I WON'T COMPLAIN ABOUT NOT HAVING MY TURN.
COME FORTH TSURUGI MOMOTAROU, HEAD OF THE OTOKOJUKU FIRST-YEARS---!!
SO THEN FROM HERE, WE WILL HAVE THE SECOND CLOSING MATCH OF THE DAIISHIN RAREN SEIHA!

DOES MOMO HAVE A PLAN!?

DOES HE HAVE A MEANS TO SEAL EIKEI'S KYOUTOUY-OKU THAT DEFEATED GEKKOU.....!?

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THAT IS THE SYMBOL BY BLOODY CHAR-ACTERS WHEN CHI-NESE WARRIORS WERE DEFEATED IN DEATH IN A BATTLE LONG AGO THAT THEY BELIEVE IN THE PERSON WHO CON-TINUES AFTER THEM, PINNING DOWN THE VICTORY.

GEKKOU'S LAST WORD THAT HE LEFT ME IS "NYOGOU"

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"MEANS THE FINAL ROAR THAT IS RAISED WITHOUT FAIL BY A TIGER WHEN THEY DIE

DON'T WORRY.

I WON'T BETRAY HIS EXPECTA-TION!!

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RAISE THE STAIRS ----!!

BEGIN
---!!

WHAT'S WRONG? YOUR BROAD-SWORD ISN'T TAKEN OUT OR IN A STANCE.
MO... MOMO .....!!
THIS MATCH WILL BE AN IN-STANT!!
WHAT CAN YOU DO? ARE YOU GOING TO POUR YOUR OWN BLOOD ONTO MY WING LIKE GEKKOU SO YOU CAN SEE IT!!
LET'S GO---!!

WH...WHAT? MOMO IS CLOSING HIS EYES---!!

MUGEN IT-TOURYUU: SHINGAN-KEN!

*MUGEN ITTOURYUU.SHINGANKEN = "INFINITE ONE-SWORD STYLE-MIND'S EYE SWORD"

HOWEVER, WHAT DO YOU THINK WILL HAPPEN IF I THROW IT ALONGSIDE THE THUNDER FROM THE FALLING LIGHTNING?
THOSE WHO POSSESS A DIFFERENCE IN THEIR EYES AND EARS LIKE GEKKOU EARLIER WOULD HAVE AVOIDED THIS.

YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO USE YOUR SHINGANKEN!!

UUH!!
THIS IS BAD! WITH THE LOUD SOUND OF LIGHTNING, HE CAN ELIMINATE THE BOOMERANG'S SONANT VIBRATION!!

IT'S FALLING ----!!
HERE IT COMES !!
DIE --!!

!!
HOW SKILLED! HE SPOTTED THE ORBIT OF THE BOOMERANG FROM THE POSITIONING OF THE HOLE IN HIS GAKURAN——!!

HMPH
.....

MOMO REALLY IS AMAZING---!!
HE...DID IT: HE RETURNED THE BOOMERANG ---!!

DON'T YOU KNOW WHY I REPELLED THE TIP BLADE WITHOUT SPLITTING THE WING?
IT STILL EARLY TO SUR-PRISE.
YOU'VE COM-PLETELY DEFEATED MY KYOUT-OUYOKU.
I'M SUR-PRISED .....
WHAT .....!?
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夏、熱気にあふれていた仕事場も、気がついたらクーラーなしで過ごせるぐらいになっていて、今はもう寒いぐらいだ。もうすぐ冬がくる。僕は、夏も好きだが、実は同じくらい、冬も好きなのだ。特に、雪景色は、日頃見なれた風景をまっ白にしてしまう潔さがあって、心にせまるものがある。

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